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Westminster, March 21.

THIS Day His Majesty came to the House of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes seated on the Throne with the usual Solemnity, Sir Septimus Robinson, Knt. Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent with a Message from His Majesty to the House of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the House of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majesty was pleased to give the Royal Assent to,

An Act for Naturalizing his Highness Prince Charles William Ferdinand, Hereditary Prince of Brunswick Lunenburg.

An Act to explain and amend such Part of an Act, made in the last Session of Parliament, intituled, An Act for granting to His Majesty several additional Duties upon Wines imported into this Kingdom, and certain Duties upon all Cyder and Perry; and for raising the Sum of Three Millions Five Hundred Thousand Pounds, by way of Annuities, and Lotteries, to be charged on the said Duties, as relates to Cyder and Perry, made in this Kingdom.

An Act for the Regulation of His Majesty's Marine Forces while on Shore.

An Act to continue, for a limited Time, the free Importation of Tallow, Hogs Lard, and Grease, from Ireland.

An Act for continuing and enlarging the Term and Powers of an Act, made in the Twenty-sixth Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for repairing and widening the Road from the West End of the Town of Burton upon Trent, in the County of Stafford, through the said Town, to the South End of the Town of Derby, in the County of Derby.

An Act for repairing and widening several Roads leading from Callington, in the County of Cornwall.

An Act to amend and render more effectual several Acts of Parliament, for repairing the Roads from Sherbrooke Hill, near Buxton and Chappel in the Frith, in the County of Derby, through the Town of Stockport, in the County of Chester, to Manchester, in the County of Lancaster, and other Roads in the said Acts mentioned; and for turning and diverting the Roads from Whaley Bridge, to Chappel in the Frith, and to Sparrow Pit Gate, and from Whaley Bridge, to the Western End of Longside Common, in the County of Chester.

An Act for repairing and widening the Roads, from the End of Stanbridge Lane, near a Barn in the Parish of Romsley, to the Turnpike Road at Middle Wallop, and from the Turnpike Road between Stanbridge Lane aforesaid and Great Bridge, to the Turnpike Road at Stockbridge, and from the Garden of Henry Hattat, at Awbridge, to the Garden Wall of Denys Rolle, Esquire, at East Tuderley, and from Lockerley Mill Stream, to East Dean Gate, and from the said Garden Wall, to the Turnpike Road leading from Stockbridge aforesaid, in the County of Southampton, to Salisbury.

An Act for repairing and widening the Roads from Horsham, in the County of Sussex, through the Parishes of Shipley, Westgrinstead, Ashurst, Steyning, Bramber, and Breeding, in the said County.

An Act for repairing and widening the Road from Workop, in the County of Nottingham, through the Towns of Gateforth, Anston, Aston, Handsworth, and Darnall, to the North East End of Attercliffe, in the County of York; where the same joins the Turnpike Road from Barwry to Sheffield.

An Act for repairing and widening the Roads from the High Bridge in Spalding, to a certain Place, called Tydd Goat, in the County of Lincoln, and from Sutton Saint Mary's, to Sutton Wash, in the said County.

An Act for maintaining, regulating, and employing the Poor, within the Parish of Saint John at Hackney, in the County of Middlesex; and for lighting the said Parish, and establishing a regular nightly Watch therein.

An Act for continuing an Act, passed in the Tenth Year of the Reign of his late Majesty King George the Second, for continuing an Act, passed in the Fifth Year of the Reign of His late Majesty King George the First, intituled, An Act for laying a Duty of Two Pennies Scots, or One Sixth Part of a Penny Sterling, upon every Pint of Ale or Beer, that shall be vended or sold within the Town of Dunbar, for improving and preserving the Harbour, and repairing the Town House, and building a School, and other public Buildings there, and for supplying the said Town with fresh Water.

An Act to enable the Governor and Company of the Bank of England, to purchase Houses and Ground for opening a Passage for Carriages, from Cornhill, to the Bank, and making more commodious several other Passages leading thereto; and for enlarging the Building of the said Bank, and making the same more commodious; And to Thirty Private Bills.

St. James's, March 24, 1764

THE Merchants, and others, who have delivered into the Office of the Earl of Halifax, One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, a Designation of the Ships which they respectively purpose to send to the Islands restored to France in the West Indies, to bring away their Effects from thence, to the End that Passports might be obtained from the Court of France for the said Ships, pursuant to the 8th Article of the late Definitive Treaty, are hereby desired to deliver into his Lordship's said Office, the Name of the Port in that particular Island to which the said Ships respectively are first intended to proceed.

Constantinople, February 15. Prince Dolgorucky, Envoy Extraordinary from Russia, having taken his Audience of Leave of the Sultan, and the Prime Vizier, is on the Point of his Departure, and will set out in a few Days.

Vienna, March 7. On Saturday last a Courier arrived here from Madrid, with the News, that the Marriage of his Royal Highness the Arch-duke Leopold with the Infanta, was celebrated there on the 16th past; and, on Monday, the Emperor, Empress Queen, and Arch-duke Leopold, received the Compliments of the Ambassadors, Foreign Ministers, and principal Nobility here. In the Evening there was a Ridotto, and the Ambassadors, with several other Foreign Ministers, had the Honour of Supping with their Imperial Majesties, and the Rest of the Royal Family. The Emperor's Journey to Frankfort is fixed for Monday next.

Venice

Venice, March 9. The Health Office have Advice from Dalmatia of the 20th past, that the Plague was considerably abated, there having died of it, in the great Suburb of Spalatro from the 1st to the 10th of last Month, Thirty Persons, in another Suburb Five, in another Three, and in the Fourth none. From the 10th to the 19th inclusive only Fifteen Persons had died in the Great Suburb, and none in the other Three. At Sign and Clissa the Distemper remained only in one Family; but a Person in Want of Subsistence in the latter Place carried the Infection into one House at Trau, which thereupon was inclosed, so that it was hoped the Distemper would not be spread in that Town.

The Court of Naples has made several Applications to this Republick for Liberty to purchase Corn in this State; but as the Scarcity becomes general, and as they have Occasion to send large Quantities into Dalmatia, they have absolutely refused it.

March 21.

This Day Count Woronzow, Minister Plenipotentiary from the Empress of Russia, had an Audience of Leave; and M. de Grosse, his Successor in the same Character, had his First Private Audience of her Royal Highness Princess Amelia.

To which they were introduced by Sir Charles Cottrell Dormer, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, March 22, 1764.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That, on Wednesday the 7th of this Instant March, about Ten o'Clock at Night, a threatening Letter was put under the Door of the Dwelling-house of William Howell Ewin, Esq; next the Publick Street, in Cambridge; which said threatening Letter was superscribed as hereunder, and contained the Words, Letters, and Figures following, viz.

To Mr. Justice Ewin These

Muster Ewin

S.^r if you don't lay in Ten Days Time Twenty Guines in a Purse at the Corner next the Bell at the Bottom of the Dore in the Night Time we will Ruine You or knock Your Brains out, when we finde You out in the Night so Mr Justice Your Sarvant

Cambridge 6 March

1764, This is y^e 2nd

Letter. so take care +

Tom: Certain

as sure as a

Gun

And, that the same Night one other threatening Letter was laid near the Door of the House of Mr. Thomas Markbey, a Linen-draper, in the Town of Cambridge, superscribed as hereunder, and containing the Words, Letters, and Figures following, viz.

To Mr. Markby in the

Pettycury Cambridge

Mr. Markby,

You must put Twenty Guineas in a Bag And lay Them at Your Stable Door, or else we will Blowe your Brains out or Ruine You some other way, we will serve You so and one or two more, even the great Justice for we dont Care for him nor You, but will ruine You if you Dont Comply with our request Yours

Cambridge

March 7. 1764.

Tom: Tell Truth

Tom: Fact

And, also, that one other threatening Letter, was laid the same Night near the Door of the House of Mr. Thomas Wand, of the said Town of Cambridge, superscribed as hereunder, and containing the following Words, Letters, and Figures, viz.

To Mr. Tho. Wand on the Market Hill
Cambridge

Mr. Wand

You must put Twenty Pounds at the Kennel near Your Dore or we will ruine You to all intents and purposes so do Your best for we will Do it and knock Your Brains out when we can get You so by God take Care of Your Self or else Comply

Cambridge

7 March 1764.

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing

Truth +

Fact. +

to Justice the Persons concerned in Writing the said Threatening Letters, or either of them, and in putting or laying them, or either of them, in the Place or Places above described, does hereby promise His most Gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who actually wrote all, or either, of the said Letters) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

DUNK HALIFAX.

And, as a farther Encouragement, William Howell Ewin, Esq; Mr. Thomas Markbey and Mr Thomas Wand, do, each of them, hereby promise a Reward of Twenty Guineas to the Person making such Discovery as aforesaid; to be paid by them severally, and respectively, upon the Conviction of any one, or more of the Offenders.

W. H. Ewin.

Tho. Markbey.

Tho. Wand.

March 20, 1764.

Whereas the House of the Right Honourable Edward Weston, Esq; in Park Place, St. James's, was entered Yesterday, between Seven in the Evening and Ten at Night, by a Garret Window from the Gutter, by taking out a Pane of Glas, and thereby opening the Fastening of the Casement; and whereas Three locked Boxes, belonging to the Servants of the said Edward Weston, were forced open, and the following Things stolen and taken away, viz. Two Pair of Stays, one of them new; a Necklace of French White Beads, with Silver Spreaders; Six or Seven Shifts, Two of which are marked with the Letters S. H. with Black Silk; One new Silk Handkerchief, and several Others white and coloured; Two Black Silk Capuchins; Six or Seven laced Caps, and Three Pair of double Ruffles, with some White Aprons, Sleeves, Cotton Stockings, &c. as also Five Guineas in Money, consisting of Four Guineas in Gold, One Crown Piece, Four Half-Crowns, and Six Shillings. Now the said Edward Weston, in order the better to discover and bring to Justice the Person or Persons who committed the said Burglary and Robbery, does hereby promise a Reward of Ten Guineas, to be paid upon the Conviction of any one or more of the Persons concerned therein.

The Court of Assistants of the RUSSIA COMPANY give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be held at the Office of the Corporation for Seamen in the Merchants Service over the Royal-Exchange, on Wednesday the 28th Day of March Instant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon; on special Affairs.

M. Sierra, Secretary.

Westminster Fire-Office, Bedford Street,
Covent Garden, March 24, 1764.

The Directors do hereby give Notice, that a General Meeting of the Contributors will be held at their said Office on Thursday the 19th of April next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, for chusing Auditors for the Year ensuing; and upon other Affairs relating to the Society.

Victualling-Office, March 18, 1764.

The Honourable House of Commons having come to the following Resolution, viz.

"That the Persons interested in, or intitled unto, all or any of the Bills payable in the Course of the Navy or Victualling Offices, or for Transports, made out on or before the 31st Day of December 1762, which in pursuance of a Resolution of this House of the 6th Day of February last, have been delivered to the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, in order to be converted into Annuities, as mentioned in the said Resolution, and who, instead of such Annuities, shall chuse to receive the Principal and Interest due on such Bills to the Time of the Payment thereof, and shall, in Books to be opened for that Purpose at the Office of the said Treasurer, express their Consent thereunto on or before the Thirty-first Day of this present Instant March, shall be intitled to receive such

such Principal and Interest in Discharge of the said Bills, out of the Money granted to His Majesty in this Session of Parliament towards paying off and discharging the Debt of the Navy, upon their delivering up the Notes or Receipts issued for the same, in like Manner as if they had not delivered the said Bills to the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, according to the Resolution of this House of the 6th Day of February last; and that such of the said Bills, for and in Respect whereof such Consent shall not be so expressed on or before the Thirty-first Day of this present Instant March, be converted into Annuities, as mentioned in the said Resolution, and consolidated with the Annuities granted by an Act of the last Session of Parliament to satisfy certain Navy, Victualling, and Transport Bills, and Ordnance Debentures."

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice thereof, that all Persons interested in or intitled unto any of the Bills payable in Course of the Victualling made out on or before the 31st Day of December 1762, that have been delivered to the Treasurer of the Navy, to be converted into Annuities as aforesaid, and who, instead of such Annuities, shall chuse to receive the Principal and Interest due on such Bills, to the Time of the Payment thereof, may, on or before the Thirty-first Day of this present Instant March, express their Consent thereunto in Books to be opened for that Purpose, at the said Treasurer's Office in Broad-street accordingly.

Navy Office, March 19, 1764.

The Honourable House of Commons having come to the following Resolution, viz.

"That the Persons interested in, or entitled unto all or any of the Bills payable in Course of the Navy or Victualling Offices, or for Transports made out on or before the 31st Day of December 1762, which in Pursuance of a Resolution of this House on the 6th of February last, have been delivered to the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, in order to be converted into Annuities, as mentioned in the said Resolution, and who, instead of such Annuities, shall chuse to receive the Principal and Interest due on such Bills, to the Time of the Payment thereof, and shall, in Books to be opened for that Purpose at the Office of the said Treasurer, express their Consent thereunto on or before the 31st Day of this present Instant March, shall be intitled to receive such Principal and Interest in Discharge of the said Bills, out of the Money granted to His Majesty in this Session of Parliament, towards paying off and discharging the Debt of the Navy, upon their delivering up the Notes or Receipts issued for the same, in like Manner as if they had not delivered the said Bills to the Treasurer of His Majesty's Navy, according to the Resolution of this House of the 6th Day of February last; and that such of the said Bills, for and in Respect whereof, such Consent shall not be so expressed, on or before the 31st Day of this present Instant March, be converted into Annuities, as mentioned in the said Resolution, and consolidated with the Annuities granted by an Act of the last Session of Parliament, to satisfy certain Navy, Victualling, and Transport Bills and Ordnance Debentures."

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice thereof, that such Persons as have delivered Navy or Transport Bills to the Treasurer of the Navy, to be subscribed into Annuities, may govern themselves accordingly.

Penryn, March 17, 1764.

WHEREAS the Partnership between Thomas Hill, Matthew Towgood, and John Penwarne in the Woollen Manufacture in this Borough, is, by mutual Consent, to be dissolved the 25th Day of this Instant March: Notice is hereby given, that all Debts due to the said Partnership are to be paid into the Hands of the said John Penwarne, of this Borough, or of Meil Hill and Towgood, of London, Warehousemen, who will satisfy all Demands on the said Estate; and that the said Manufacture, will for the future be carried on by the said John Penwarne alone.

*Tho. Hill.
Matt. Towgood.
Jn^o. Penwarne.*

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